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25 cases Seadog Matches,
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Evening Telegram.

W. J. HERDER, --- Proprietor.
W. F. LLOYD, --- Editor.

THURSDAY, February 12, 1914.

The Telephone System.

Strong representations were made in the House of Assembly yesterday by the Liberal leader, Mr. Kent, and by Mr. Hickman, on the need of an improved telephone system for the city. Both endorsed the strong stand taken by the Board of Trade, and set forth the difficulty of carrying on a conversation without interruptions and without being overheard. Mr. Hickman said an expert engaged by the Board of Trade had declared an up-to-date system could be installed for the city at a cost of some \$50,000. Mr. Hickman also estimated that the present rentals amounted to some \$28,000, and that therefore there was an ample income to provide for the running expenses of such a system and to provide a margin for good dividends should a charter be given to a private corporation. Mr. Kent pointed out that three years ago a loan of \$150,000 was authorized for this purpose and for an outport telephone system. The Prime Minister said the Government Engineer had been instructed to go into the question and had been abroad and had examined a number of systems and reported to the Government some twelve months ago. The Government had found many difficulties in the way and they had not come to any decision. The Government had had in contemplation a new system for the city with long distance connection to such places as Bay of Islands. He feared the estimate of \$50,000 referred to by Mr. Hickman was too low. His recollection was that the estimate of the Government Engineer was \$150,000, but he could not say definitely that it included only a service within the limits of the city. In reply to an inquiry of Mr. Lloyd, the Prime Minister stated that the Government had not decided whether or not they would institute a Government system or not. The Government were still considering the whole question. The whole matter is unsatisfactory. The Anglo-American cannot be expected to spend money on improvements while a state of doubt exists as to the intentions of the Government.

McMurdo's Store News.

THURSDAY, Feb. 12th, 1914.
Zero weather! A Hot Water Bottle is a great thing to have as a bedfellow these nights. Not only does it keep the feet—and with the feet the whole body, for one is never warm if his feet are not, but the use of the hot water bottle prevents colds, bowel troubles, and neuralgia, all very annoying and even serious matters in severe weather. You can now, by buying the Congo Hot Water Bottle, obtainable at both our stores, obtain a first class rubber bottle for the very moderate sum of one dollar. A guaranteed bottle at that. Other Hot Water Bottles up to \$5 each.
Tors is a remedy for chilblains that is really a cure for this annoying trouble, and it is certainly the best outward application. To those who are subject to chilblains the general health needs attention, if the chilblains are to be prevented from appearing again. Tors sells at 35 cts. a stick.

KOHLER PIANOS are known and are sold the world over. See us about one. Our new cash system gives you 25 p.c. cheaper than the old plan. CHESLEY WOODS, Sole Agent.—Feb 11.

The LARGEST STOCK of CROCKERYWARE in the city JOHN B. AYRE.

This Date
in History.

FEBRUARY 12.
Full Moon—10th.

Days Past—42 To Come—322
CHARLES DARWIN born 1809.
The distinguished scientist, whose "Origin of Species" first clearly formulated and elaborated the theory of evolution. In 1871, he issued his "Descent of Man," a still further elaboration of the evolution theory.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN born 1809.
One of the outstanding men of the period who by sheer merit raised himself to become President of the United States of America in 1861, when also his anti-slavery pronouncement led to the Civil War of 1861-1865. In 1864 he was re-elected and in the following year was assassinated.

Not the bright stars, which night's blue arch adorn;
Nor rising sun, that gilds the vernal moon;
Shine with such lustre as the tear that flows
Down virtue's manly cheek for others' woes.
—Darwin.

The Orphans See "Snow White."

The Rossleys had the little children from the Orphanage a second time to see the beautiful pantomime Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs. How they enjoyed the show! They were all delighted with every thing they saw and followed closely the troubles and trials of poor Snow White. They showed their appreciation by lots of applause. It is extremely kind of Mr. and Mrs. Rossley to provide those little ones with such a delightful time.

Arthur Walker, 27 Charlott Street (off Springdale St.), Groceries and Provisions, School Supplies and Stationery, Fruits, Nuts, Candy and Soft Drinks, Stationery, Valentines, Cakes & Pies, Bread, Milk, useful household novelties, Daily Papers, Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, Thread, Laces, Perfume, Liniment, Needle Packages, Picture Post Cards, Postage Stamps, etc. Autoharps and Zithers tuned and re-stringed. Agency for Columbia Zithers and Pathophones; no needles required. Call and investigate.—j6,w.f.s,t

S.U.F. Soiree

The annual soiree held by the S. U. F. in the British Hall last night, was the most successful for years. Over two hundred persons attended and the best of good fellowship prevailed throughout. Dancing commenced at 9 o'clock to the strains of the Myron O'Grady orchestra and was greatly enjoyed. The ballroom was neatly and prettily decorated, reflecting credit on those responsible. At 11 o'clock a sumptuous repast was served and a ample justice had been done to the good things provided, dancing was resumed and continued until an early hour this morning when the crowd dispersed.

EXPRESS DUE. — The incoming express is due at 7 a.m. to-morrow.

Girl's Nerves Fully Restored

Was Never Able to Obtain Lasting Benefit Until Dr. Chase's Nerve Food Was Used.

Too many girls grow up with weak anemic bodies and exhausted nervous systems. Indoor life and too much application in school are some times the cause.
The blood needs enriching and the nerves need strengthening by such treatment as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. This food cure is doing wonders for many thousands of girls whose parents had almost despaired of their ever developing into strong, healthy women.

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Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cent a box, 6 for \$2.50, all dealers, or Edmanston, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Arrest Made.

FOR THE LARCENY OF A MEER-SCHAUM PIPE.

Last night, Detective Byrne arrested a man, who is a blacksmith by trade, charged with larceny. The accused, it is alleged, visited the store of D. McRae, watchmaker, on Water Street, to get repairs made to a watch. While the proprietor had his back turned the customer reached his hand over the counter and took four meerscham pipes, which were worth \$6.25 each or a total value of \$25. Mr. McRae did not miss the articles till the visitor had left his store. He then placed the particulars of the case in the hands of the police and an arrest followed.

Meigle Here.

The s.s. Meigle arrived in port from Trepassay at 9.15 p.m. yesterday, after a fairly good run from there, having left at noon. The ship left Placentia at 8 a.m. Saturday and had to run into Trepassay that evening to escape the approaching storm. The Meigle brings no report of the Blanche Currie, which in all probability was driven off to sea, and with the present weather conditions will be some time reaching land again.

Quick Passage.

The barq. Gaspe, Capt. Connors, reached Pernambuco yesterday after a run of 25 days from this port. The ship experienced very stormy weather on the passage, and in view of this the trip was one of the quickest made in recent years. The quickest passage ever made to Pernambuco by a vessel from this port was made by the Onyx, a schooner sailing from Tessier's, in 1892. She made the run in 17 days, but was lost on the return voyage.

Boy Run Over.

On Tuesday evening a young lad named Samson Brushett, was run down by a horse near the Long Bridge the cog of the shoe inflicting a nasty wound in his forehead. He was picked up by Constable Sheppard and taken to O'Mara's drug store, and in the meantime Dr. Roberts was summoned and had the lad conveyed to his surgery, where he was obliged to insert several stitches in the wound, after which the boy was taken to his home on Water St. West.

Fresh Poultry. Fresh Fruit, New Vegetables, Fresh Fish.

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Fresh N. Y. Chickens.
Fresh N. Y. Ducks.
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FRESH HALIBUT.
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FRESH HERRING.
FRESH CODFISH.

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New Florida Celery.
New Cucumbers.
Ripe Tomatoes.
New Lettuce.
Fresh Parsley.
Carrots and Parsnips.
Beetroot.
American Cabbage.

SMOKED SALMON.
FRESH KIPPERS.
LOCH FINE HERRING.
SCOTCH PICKLED HERRING.

Ripe Bananas.
New Grape Fruit.
Navel Oranges.
Tangerines.
Almeria Grapes.
Palmira Lemons.
New Rhubarb.
Dessert Apples.
Russet Apples.
Cooking Apples.
Bartlett Pears.

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AMERICAN BEAUTY BUTTER.
Fresh BLUE POINT OYSTERS.

Fresh Supply

Angels

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Nos. 482 & 876.

House Burned Down. Woman Injured.

Yesterday morning at 7.30 a fire occurred at Gould's Brook, about three miles from Brigus Junction, which resulted in the total destruction of the house occupied by John Skeans and his family, and situated about a mile from Noseworthy's saw mill at Mather's siding. The origin of the fire is unknown. Two of the inmates of the house, Mrs. Skeans and her daughter, a little girl of twelve years, received serious burns, and the former was so badly burned about the scalp that Dr. Gill, who was summoned from Brigus, about 21 miles distant from Gould's Brook, advised that she be taken to the Hospital. She arrived by last night's train, accompanied by the doctor, and was conveyed to the institution. Mrs. Skeans, who is not blessed with much of this world's goods, had a few dollars placed in a private receptacle in the house, and in an effort to save the money rushed through the flames, with the result that her head was badly burned. The little girl, who was apparently trying to assist her mother in this futile effort, received some serious burns also. John Skeans and his family moved up from Collier's to Gould's Brook recently and his was the only house there, the nearest one being that occupied by the employees of Noseworthy's saw mill, which is about a mile away.

Reids' Boats.

The Bruce is at Port aux Basques. The Clyde is still at Placentia. The Glencoe left Hr. Breton at 6 a.m. to-day going west. The Linrose leaves Port aux Basques this afternoon after arrival of the express due there at 2 p.m.

Here and There.

OXO served hot at P. J. RAYNES, 112 New Gower St. Jan 24, 1m

SEWING MACHINES.—We sell the famous Expert B. at reduced prices. CHESLEY WOODS, Sole Agent.—Feb 2, 1f

You can buy and mail your Valentines and Post-Cards in Presbyterian Hall on Friday, 13th.—Feb 10, 2i, tn, th

PROSPERO DUE.—The s.s. Prospero is due from the Westward tomorrow night. She left Burin at 9 a.m. to-day.

Cooks and Stewards' Association will meet to-night at 8 o'clock. Business important. By order, J. M. DOOLEY, President.—Feb 12, 1f

FIRE IN STABLE.—About 2 p.m. to-day, a fire broke out in the stable in the rear of the eastern premises of Messrs. Ayre & Sons. The firemen were promptly on hand and soon controlled it.

Enjoy your meals by taking a teaspoonful of Stafford's Prescription "A" before eating. It cures Indigestion and Dyspepsia, etc.—Jan 22, 1f

STEPHANOS PASSENGERS.—The following additional passengers went by the s.s. Stephanos, which sailed last night for Halifax and New York: Hon. G. and Mrs. Knowling, W. Knowling, Mrs. J. Lindberg, Mrs. Finlay, M. Kent, T. Kent, Capt. Joffe, E. Redman and two second class.

DON'T FORGET St. Thomas's Men's Bible Class. Social in Canon Wood Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 17th. Tea on table 7 o'clock. Tickets 30c. Concert at 8. Admission 10c.—Feb 12, 4i

WATER PIPES BURST.—On Tuesday night the water pipes in the Odd Fellows' Hall, Exchange Building, burst and flooded the Bank of Nova Scotia underneath. Much damage was done and several documents had to be destroyed. The Accountant's office of the Anglo American Telegraph Co., was also flooded with water.

AT THE C. C. C. ARMOURY. — Great enthusiasm was shown at the games in the C. C. C. Armoury last night, the different matches being keenly contested. In the basket ball competition the team captained by P. Murphy won from that led by E. Gladney by 13 points to 10. In the second game J. Murphy's team defeated that captained by C. Jardine after a exciting exhibition.

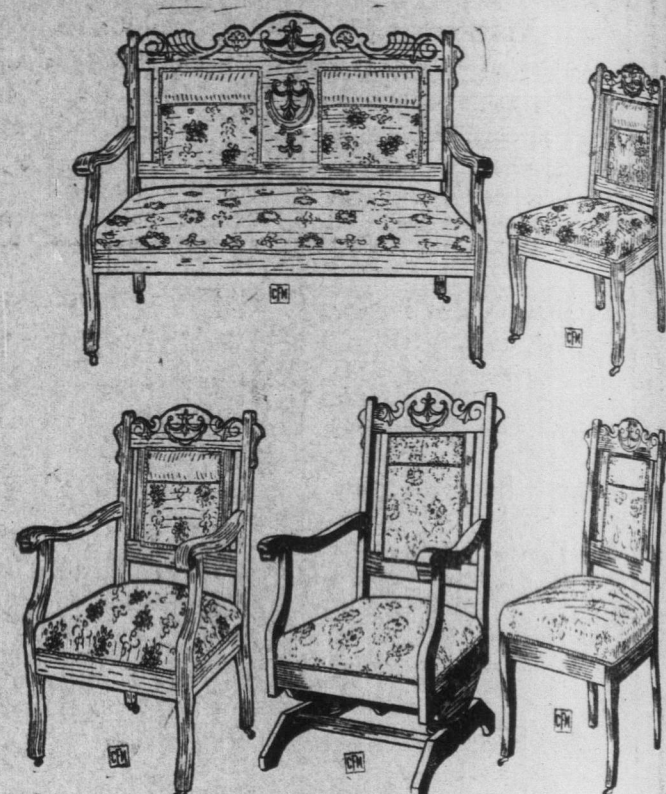
YOUNG MAN, DO YOU WANT ONE?—We refer to the fact that we have a few choice patterns of our up-to-date warmth-without-weight Overcoatings left, and we got to clear them out. Come and select one, as you need it, and we will talk about the prices privately. Made in our famous up-to-date, double-breasted effects. Don't lose the chance. SPURRELL BROS., 265 Water Street, next door to Parker & Monroe's.—Jan 27, eod

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GAIN GET IN COW.

NOTICE!

A Meeting of Citizens will be held in the T. A. Hall (Henry Street entrance) TO-MORROW (THURSDAY) EVENING, at 8 o'clock, to receive the report of the Citizens' Committee for civic improvements. The attendance of every one interested in the improvement of the city is requested.
Feb 11, 2f

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